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Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed September 8, 2005.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.